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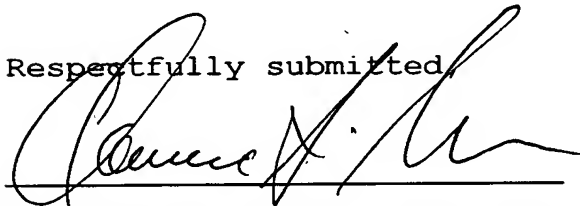
The above-identified patent application claims priority to Finnish Patent Application No. FI 20002828 filed on December 22, 2000. Applicants' attorney encloses a copy of a Finnish Search Report issued on the priority Finnish Patent Application No. FI 20002828. The Search Report

cited United States Patent Nos. US 5,305,423, US 5,941,829, US 5,880,731, US 5,507,291, and Japanese Patent Document No. JP 2000172589 (English Abstract is attached).

Copies of the Finnish Search Report and the cited references are enclosed together with PTO-Form 1449.

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